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INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the Evenflo Bari Car Seat. This manual provides essential information for the safe and proper use, installation, and maintenance of your car seat. Please read all instructions carefully before use and keep this manual for future reference.

The Evenflo Bari Car Seat is designed to provide protection and comfort for your child as they grow, accommodating children from 2.2 kg (newborn) up to 25 kg (approximately 7 years old). It features multiple recline positions, a secure 5-point harness system, and advanced safety technologies.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

Always prioritize your child's safety. Failure to follow these instructions could result in serious injury or death.

- Always secure your child in the car seat using the 5-point harness system.
- Ensure the car seat is properly installed in your vehicle according to the installation instructions.
- Never leave your child unattended in the car seat.
- Do not use the car seat if it has been involved in a crash, even if there is no visible damage.
- Register your car seat to receive important safety notices and recalls.
- Check the car seat's expiration date. Do not use an expired car seat.

Safety Features:

- **5-Point Harness System:** Provides secure restraint for your child.
- **CuddleMe Technology:** Absorbs vibrations during travel for enhanced comfort.
- **Cocoon Safe Side Protection:** Designed to absorb energy from side impacts, offering superior side-impact protection.

PRODUCT FEATURES

The Evenflo Bari Car Seat is engineered with features to ensure your child's safety and comfort:

- **Versatile Usage:** Suitable for children from 2.2 kg (newborn) up to 25 kg (approximately 7 years).

- **Adjustable Recline:** Features 6 recline positions, including 1 manual position for newborns and 5 front-adjust positions for growing children.
- **Easy Installation:** Designed for installation using the vehicle's seat belt system.
- **Removable Pads:** Seat pads are easily removable for convenient cleaning.



Front view of the Evenflo Bari Car Seat, showcasing the comfortable full padding and 5-point harness system.



Side view highlighting the Cocoon Safe Side impact protection, designed to absorb energy during collisions.

SETUP AND INITIAL ASSEMBLY

The Evenflo Bari Car Seat comes largely pre-assembled. Follow these steps for initial setup:

1. **Unpacking:** Carefully remove the car seat from its packaging. Retain all packaging materials until you are certain the product is complete and undamaged.
2. **Inspect Components:** Check all parts for any signs of damage or missing components. Do not use the car seat if any part is damaged or missing.
3. **Adjust Headrest and Harness:** Before installation, adjust the headrest and harness height to the appropriate level for your child. The shoulder straps should be at or just below your child's shoulders when rear-facing, and at or just above when forward-facing.
4. **Recline Adjustment:** Familiarize yourself with the recline adjustment mechanism. The car seat offers 6 recline positions. For newborns, use the most reclined position (manual adjustment).



Rear view of the car seat, illustrating the various adjustment points for the headrest and harness system.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Installation in Vehicle:

The Evenflo Bari Car Seat is designed for installation using your vehicle's 3-point seat belt system. Always refer to your vehicle's owner's manual for specific car seat installation instructions and compatible seating positions.

1. **Position the Car Seat:** Place the car seat on the desired vehicle seat. Ensure it is stable and level.
2. **Route the Seat Belt:** Follow the color-coded belt path indicators on the car seat to correctly route the vehicle's lap and shoulder belt through the car seat.
3. **Buckle and Tighten:** Buckle the vehicle's seat belt and remove all slack. Press down firmly on the car seat while tightening the belt to achieve a snug fit. The car seat should not move more than 1 inch (2.5 cm) side-to-side or front-to-back at the belt path.
4. **Check Recline Angle:** Verify that the car seat is at the correct recline angle for your child's age and weight.



The car seat in a reclined position, suitable for younger infants, demonstrating its adaptability.

Securing Your Child:

1. **Place Child in Seat:** Place your child in the car seat with their back flat against the seat back.
2. **Buckle Harness:** Bring the two buckle tongues together and insert them into the buckle until you hear a click.
3. **Tighten Harness:** Pull the harness adjustment strap to tighten the harness until it is snug against your child's body. You should not be able to pinch any slack at the child's collarbone.
4. **Position Chest Clip:** Slide the chest clip up to armpit level.

CARE AND MAINTENANCE

Proper care and maintenance will extend the life of your Evenflo Bari Car Seat.

- **Fabric Pads:** The fabric pads are removable for cleaning. Refer to the care label on the pads for specific washing instructions. Typically, machine wash cold on a delicate cycle and tumble dry low or air dry.
- **Harness Straps:** Wipe harness straps with a damp cloth. Do not machine wash or submerge harness straps in water, as this can weaken the webbing.
- **Buckle:** Clean the buckle by wiping with a damp cloth. If food or debris gets into the buckle, flush it with warm water. Do not use soaps or detergents.
- **Plastic and Metal Parts:** Wipe plastic and metal parts with a soft, damp cloth and mild soap. Do not use abrasive cleaners or solvents.
- **Storage:** Store the car seat in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight when not in use.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Car seat moves more than 1 inch after installation.	Vehicle seat belt not tight enough.	Re-install the car seat, ensuring you press down firmly while tightening the vehicle seat belt to remove all slack.
Harness straps are difficult to tighten or loosen.	Harness straps may be twisted or buckle may have debris.	Untwist any twisted straps. Clean the buckle as per maintenance instructions. Ensure the harness adjustment strap moves freely.
Child's head slumps forward when sleeping.	Incorrect recline angle for child's age/weight.	Adjust the recline position to a more reclined angle, especially for younger children. Ensure the headrest is properly positioned.

If you encounter issues not listed here, please contact Evenflo Customer Service.

SPECIFICATIONS

Attribute	Detail
Model Number	6521
Minimum Weight Recommendation	2.2 kg (5 lbs)
Maximum Weight Recommendation	25 kg (55 lbs)
Material Type	Polyester
Number of Recline Positions	6 (1 manual for newborn, 5 front-adjust)
Harness Type	5-point harness
Installation Type	Vehicle Seat Belt (also compatible with LATCH/ISOFIX in some vehicles, refer to vehicle manual)
Dimensions (L x W x H)	48.5 x 52 x 80 cm (19.1 x 20.5 x 31.5 inches)
Product Weight	9.2 kg (20.3 lbs)
Color	Grey



Diagram showing the approximate dimensions of the Evenflo Bari Car Seat.

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Evenflo products are designed with quality and safety in mind. For warranty information, product registration, or customer support, please visit the official Evenflo website or contact their customer service department.

Evenflo Customer Service:

Website: www.evenflo.com (or relevant regional website)

Phone: Refer to the Evenflo website for regional contact numbers.

Please have your model number (6521) and date of manufacture (found on the car seat label) ready when contacting support.

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